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or submitted to the Office in the prior application, and, in accordance with 37 CFR §1.98(d), copies of references A1-G8 are not enclosed, but will be provided upon request.

The remaining references H1-H4 have not been previously cited and are enclosed herewith. In particular, reference H3, a published Japanese patent application, was cited during prosecution of corresponding Japanese patent application 515,188/1991, now issued as Japanese Patent 3,348,406, and of corresponding pending Japanese divisional patent application 57,831/2002. References H3 and H4 (also a published Japanese patent application) were also cited during prosecution of corresponding pending Japanese divisional patent application 311,757/2003. English abstracts are attached to each of references H3 and H4. In addition, references H1 and H2 are the corresponding U.S. patents that issued from the U.S. priority applications for references H3 and H4, respectively.

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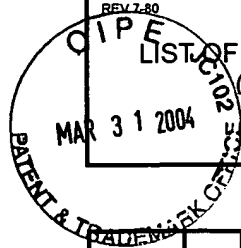
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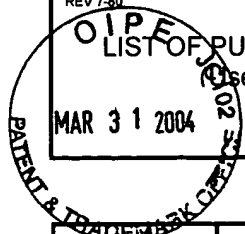
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